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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Fred Cohen, et al.

Application No.: 10/678,609

Filed: October 3, 2003

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS  
PROVIDING DECEPTION AND/OR  
ALTERED EXECUTION OF LOGIC IN AN  
INFORMATION SYSTEM**

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Art Unit: 2154

**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.47  
TO ACCEPT OATH WITH  
NONSIGNING INVENTOR**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

(1) Applicant petitions to have the above-referenced application accepted by signing inventors Donna T. Rogers and Vicentiu Neagoe on behalf of themselves and non-signing inventor Fred Cohen who refuses to sign as shown by the pertinent facts laid out below.

(2) The pertinent facts are as laid out in the enclosed declaration under 37 C.F.R. 1.47(a).

(3) I hereby declare that all statements made in this submission are either of my own knowledge and are true or are believed by me to be true and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this statement is directed.

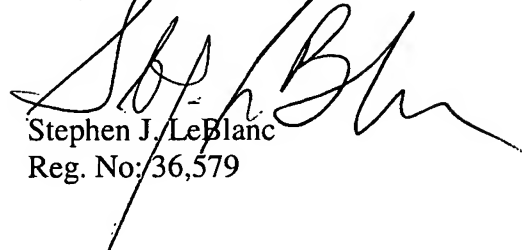
(4) Please deduct the petition fee, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(i), of \$130.00 from the Deposit Account No. 50-0893 of the undersigned. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to the above Deposit Account.

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(5) If a telephone conference would assist in processing this petition, please telephone the undersigned at (510) 769-3508.

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